

HMO: The Musical

*Patient enters the hospital in severe pain.*

PATIENT

Help! Help! Head wound! Head wound! Hello? Hello?

*Music starts. 2 NURSES so foot dance dealy.*

PATIENT

Hello?

NURSE 1

WHAT'S THE PROBLEM SIR?

PATIENT

Well, it's my...

NURSE 2

IS THERE SOMETHING WE CAN DO?

PATIENT

I hope so...

NURSE 1 and 2

IS THERE SOMETHING OF A PROBLEM WE CAN HELP YOU GET THROUGH?

PATIENT

Well, there . . .

NURSE 1

GUNSHOTS!

NURSE 2

BITES FROM SHARKS!

NURSE1 and 2

IS SOMETHING TENDER SHOW US WHERE IT SMARTS!

NURSE 1

DOCTOR, I'VE CUT OFF MY ARM

NURSE 2

THERE'S NO NEED FOR ALARM!

NURSE 1 and 2

WE'LL JUST SEW IT ON AND SEND YOU OUT THE DOOR!

NURSE 1 and 2

YOU SPRAINED YOUR ANKLE SKIING  
YOU GOT BUG BITES ON YOUR EAR  
STUCK A GERBIL IN YOUR ANUS  
YOU O.D'd!  
DON'T WORRY, BECAUSE WE'RE THE

*(chorus)* HMO  
THAT'S THE ONLY PLACE YOU NEED TO KNOW  
ONE FORM TO FILL  
WE'LL SEND THE BILL  
AND THEN YOU'RE ON OWN  
WE'RE THE  
HMO  
WHERE ELSE DID YOU THINK YOU COULD GO?  
THE BUDGET'S SET  
YOUR BEST BET'S THE HMO.

NURSE 1  
WHATEVER YOUR PAIN OR POISON WE CAN GET YOU ON THE MEND

NURSE 2  
WE CAN BATTLE YOUR AFFLICTIONS

NURSE 1 and 2  
RN SOLDIERS ALWAYS WIN!

NURSE 2  
YOU MAY STUMBLE TO OUR PALACE BUT YOU'LL LEAVE IT WALKING TALL!

NURSE 1  
OLD OR YOUNG OR STRONG OR FEEBLE  
BRING THEM IN, WE'LL HELP THEM ALL!

NURSE 1 and 2  
WE'RE THE  
*(chorus)* HMO  
OUR DOCTORS ALL ARE PROS  
INTO A ROOM  
HE'LL SEE YOU SOON  
HE'LL FIX YOU UP JUST SO  
AT THE HMO

DOCTOR  
WHEN YOU SEE ME, YOU'RE IN FOR A TREAT!  
I WILL RUB YOUR SHOULDERS AND YOUR FEET  
STEP INTO OUR WAITING SAUNA  
LAZE AROUND IN YOUR PAJAMAS!  
WE'VE GOT GREAT SERVICE THAT JUST CAN'T BE BEAT  
WE'RE THE

ALL (except PATIENT)

HMO

HAVE YOU ENJOYED THE SHOW  
JUST SKIP RIGHT PAST THE GREETER AT THE KIOSK  
YOU'RE UP NEXT, THE PINPOINT OF OUR TRIAGE  
WELCOME TO THE H! M!

*Big pose around Matt.*

PATIENT

(interjecting) Wow. And I don't even have health insurance!

*They don't finish the song but dump him on the floor and walk away.*

ALL 3 ATTENDANTS

Oh . . .